

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
LOK SABHA**

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ESI HOSPITALS FOR COAL WORKERS
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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any Employees' State Insurance (ESI) hospitals particularly for coal workers of Coal India Limited;
- (b) if so, the names of such hospitals and their subsidiary in the country including Jharkhand; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR STEEL, MINES, LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI VISHNU DEO SAI)

(a) to (c): No, Madam. Mines, including Coal mines, are not covered under the Employees' State Insurance (ESI) Act, 1948. Therefore, there are no ESI Hospitals for Coal workers of Coal India Limited.